



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/147,036
Applicant : Jochen MAURER
Filed : December 15, 1998
TC/A.U. : 1645
Examiner : Vanessa L. Ford

Docket No. : 2923-108
Customer No. : 06449
Confirmation No. : 1165
Title : EXPORT SYSTEMS FOR RECOMBINANT PROTEINS

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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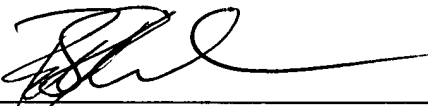
July 26, 2004

Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of § 1.136(a), applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 24, 2004 for one month from June 24, 2004 to July 24, 2004. Enclosed is a check for \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

Also, if any additional payment is required, please charge the cost thereof to deposit account no. 02-2135. An extra copy of this letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004 (Small Entity)		<i>Complete if Known</i>	
		Application Number	09/147,036
		Filing Date	December 15, 1998
		First Named Inventor	Jochen MAURER
		Examiner Name	Vanessa L. Ford
		Group Art Unit	1645
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge additional fees and credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-2135 in the name of Rothwell, Figg, Ernst & Manbeck
- ☒ Charge any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:
- ☒ Check
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FEE CALCULATION**1. FILING FEE**

Fee Code	Fee \$	Fee Description	Fee Paid
2001	385	Utility filing fee	[]
2002	170	Design Filing Fee	[]
2003	265	Plant Filing Fee	[]
2004	385	Reissue Filing Fee	[]
2005	80	Provisional Filing Fee	[]

SUBTOTAL \$**2. CLAIMS**

	Extra Claims	Fee	Fee Paid
Total Claims [] - 20** = [] x		\$ 9 = []	
Independent Claims [] - 3** = [] x		43 = []	
Multiple Dependent Claims +		145 = []	

**or number previously paid, if greater;

SUBTOTAL \$**FEE CALCULATION (continued)****3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

Fee Code	Fee Paid	Fee Description	Fee Paid
2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	[]
2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	[]
1053	130	Non-English specification	[]
1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	[]
1804	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	[]
1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	[]
2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	[55]
2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	[]
2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	[]
2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	[]
2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	[]
2401	165	Notice of Appeal	[]
2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	[]
2403	145	Request for Oral Hearing	[]
1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	[]
2452	55	Petition to revive -unavoidable	[]
2453	475	Petition to revive - unintentional	[]
2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	[]
2502	240	Design issue fee	[]
2503	320	Plant issue fee	[]
1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	[]
1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	[]
1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	[]
8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	[]
2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR .129(a))	[]
2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	[]
2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	[]
1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	[]
1504	300	Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication	[]
1505	300	Publication fee for republication	[]
1455	200	Filing an application for patent term adjustment	[]
1456	400	Request for reinstatement of term reduced	[]
		Other fee (specify)	[]

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SUBTOTAL**\$55.00**

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